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FM AMEMBASSY PORT OF SPAIN

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 8430

JO UESRS/AMEMBASSY CARACAS 1188

C O N F I D E N T I A L PORT OF SPAIN 2635

STATE FOR ARA/RCO; CARACAS FOR CEO/R KENNEDY

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ACOM

SUBJECT: COMMUNICATIONS: CEO' FORTHCOMING VISIT

1. THE FOLLOWING EQUIPMENT IS ON BOARD FOR INSTALLATION:

- A) KWM2A/30L1 - AMBASSADOR' RESIDENCE
- B) HAUS - AFTER HOURS ALERTING SYSTEM
- C) MT-76 - TWO - AMBASSADOR'S VEHICLE AND EMBASSY TRUCK

2. INOPERABLE EQUIPMENT: TWO HN-36'S, WILL TRANSMIT BUT

UNABLE TO RECEIVE. TWO EXTERNAL CHARGERS. DT-76 BASE UNIT,
UNABLE TO RECEIVE FROM LOCAL DESKON UNITS. ONE KW-7 SIGNAL
CABLE FAULTY.

3. IN AN EFFORT TO IMPROVE OUR LOCAL E&E RADIO NET, WE HAVE
INSTITUTED WEEKLY RADIO CHECKS BETWEEN THE EMBASSY AND ALL
HOLDERS; RADIOS HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO ALL SECTION HEADS, THE
CRO AND CSO. THE FIRST CHECK WASN'T TOO SUCCESSFUL. RECEPTION

RANGED FROM UNHEARD TO GOOD. TRANSMISSION/RECEPTION IS
DIFFICULT AT BEST BECAUSE OF THE MOUNTAINOUS TERRAIN. TO TRY
AND SOLVE THIS PROBLEM, WE PROPOSE TO INSTALL THE THREE VHF
ANTENNAS WE HAVE ON HAND AT THE CHARGE'S, ECONOMIC AND
ADMINISTRATIVE RESIDENCES.

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4. CEO KENNEDY ADVISES HE CAN SUPPLY US WITH THREE ANTENNAS

BEFORE HIS FORTHCOMING VISIT. AS POST WILL REQUIRE EIGHT ANTENNAS, REQUEST DEPARTMENT PROCURE AND SHIP FIVE VHF ROOF MOUNT ANTENNAS WITH APPROX 75 FEET OF CABLE PER UNIT. THESE CAN BE INSTALLED BY THE CSO AT A LATER DATE. WOULD ALSO LIKE TWO PACKAGES OF JOHNS MANSFIELD DUX SEAL OR EQUIVALENT.

5. OMEGA STATION ANXIOUS TO HAVE THEIR EQUIPMENT SERVICED

NEXT CEO VISIT.

6. ADVISE RE THE ANTENNAS AND WHEN RCO PLANS NEXT VISIT TO POST.

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